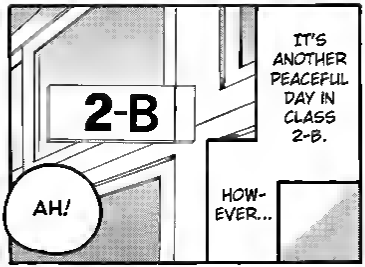
5TH PERIOD
PENIKO'S FLASHBACK

BAKA
OH WOW

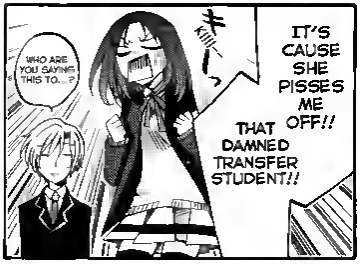

2-B
IT'S ANOTHER PEACEFUL DAY IN CLASS 2-B.
HOW-EVER...
AH!

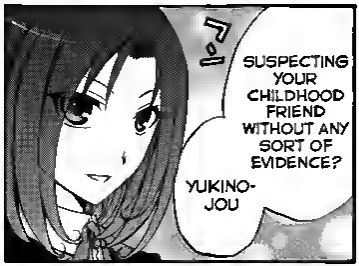
I'M KIND OF NERVOUS--
I WONDER WHO IT WAS--
SOMEONE KNOWS ME REALLY WELL!!
YOU'RE NOT DENYING IT, HUH?

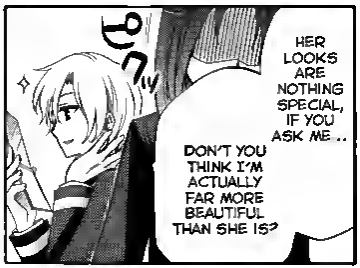
A MALICIOUS FIGURE LURKS IN THE SHADOWS ..
WHAT'S WRONG, AKANE?
I GOT AN INCREDIBLE LETTER!

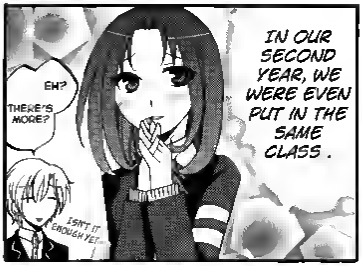
THAT BOY, SENBA YUKINOJOU

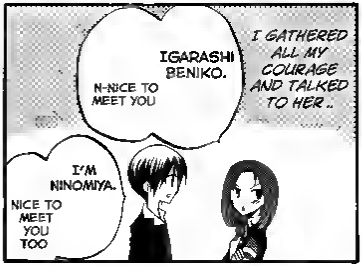
THAT GIRL, IGARASHI BENIKO

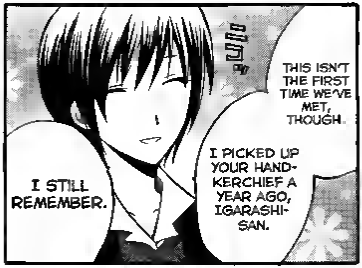


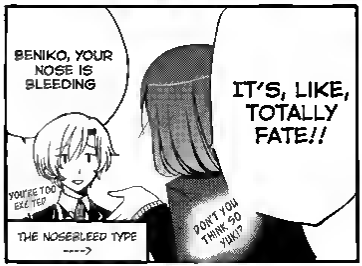


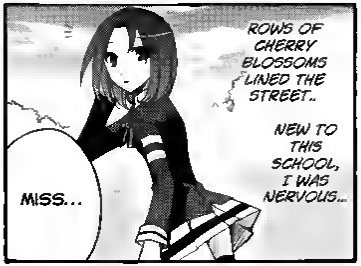

IN OUR SECOND YEAR, WE WERE EVEN PUT IN THE SAME CLASS.
EH? THERE'S MORE?
ISN'T IT ENOUGH YET


I GATHERED ALL MY COURAGE AND TALKED TO HER..
IGARASHI BENIKO.
N-NICE TO MEET YOU
I'M NINOMIYA.
NICE TO MEET YOU TOO

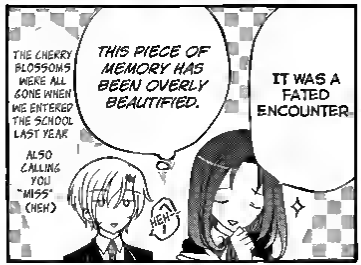

THIS ISN'T THE FIRST TIME WE'VE MET, THOUGH.
I PICKED UP YOUR HANDKERCHIEF A YEAR AGO, IGARASHI-SAN.
I STILL REMEMBER.


BENIKO, YOUR NOSE IS BLEEDING
IT'S, LIKE, TOTALLY FATE!!
YOU'RE TOO EXCITED
DON'T YOU THINK SO, YUKI?
THE NOSEBLEED TYPE --->

YES... THE FIRST TIME I MET AOI-SAMA... IT WAS SPRING...
EH? WHAT'S THIS?
FLASHBACK MODE ALL OF A SUDDEN

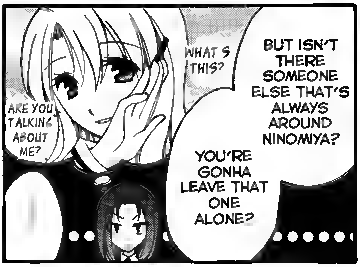

ROWS OF CHERRY BLOSSOMS LINED THE STREET..
NEW TO THIS SCHOOL, I WAS NERVOUS...
MISS...

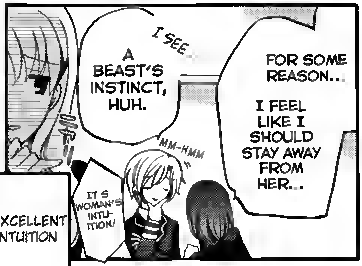
You dropped your handkerchief.
SHE GREETED ME WITH HER GENTLE, WARM VOICE...


IT WAS A FATED ENCOUNTER
THIS PIECE OF MEMORY HAS BEEN OVERLY BEAUTIFIED.
THE CHERRY BLOSSOMS WERE ALL GONE WHEN WE ENTERED THE SCHOOL LAST YEAR
ALSO CALLING YOU "MISS" (HEH)
HEH?

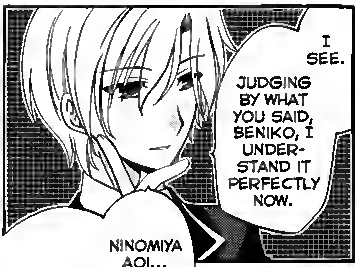
THAT ONE
EVEN THOUGH SHE MERRILY IGNORED MY HATE MAIL!
BASICALLY!
I WILL DEFEAT THAT ANNOYINGLY STUPID ICHINOSE AKANE!

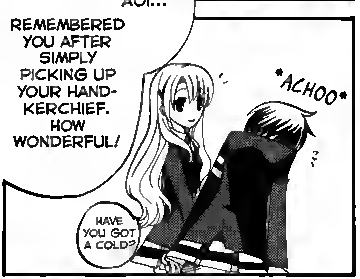
I WON'T TRY TO STOP YOU.
I'VE BECOME A SLAVE TO LOVE!!
DON'T TRY TO STOP ME!

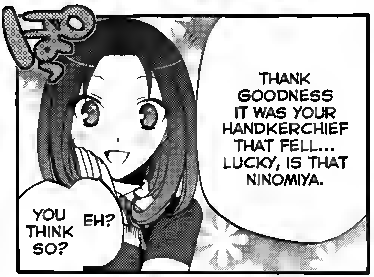

ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT ME?
WHAT'S THIS?
BUT ISN'T THERE SOMEONE ELSE THAT'S ALWAYS AROUND NINOMIYA?
YOU'RE GONNA LEAVE THAT ONE ALONE?

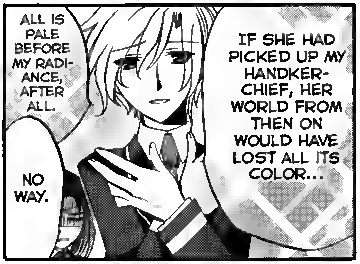

EXCELLENT INTUITION
IT'S WOMAN'S INTUITION!
MM-HMM
I SEE.
A BEAST'S INSTINCT, HUH.
FOR SOME REASON...
I FEEL LIKE I SHOULD STAY AWAY FROM HER...




I SEE.
JUDGING BY WHAT YOU SAID, BENIKO, I UNDERSTAND IT PERFECTLY NOW.


NINOMIYA AOI...
REMEMBERED YOU AFTER SIMPLY PICKING UP YOUR HANDKERCHIEF. HOW WONDERFUL!
*ACHOO*
HAVE YOU GOT A COLD?


THANK GOODNESS IT WAS YOUR HANDKERCHIEF THAT FELL... LUCKY, IS THAT NINOMIYA.
EH?
YOU THINK SO?


ALL IS PALE BEFORE MY RADIANCE, AFTER ALL.
NO WAY.
IF SHE HAD PICKED UP MY HANDKERCHIEF, HER WORLD FROM THEN ON WOULD HAVE LOST ALL ITS COLOR...

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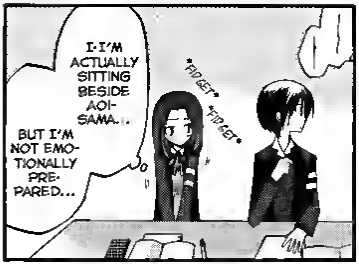


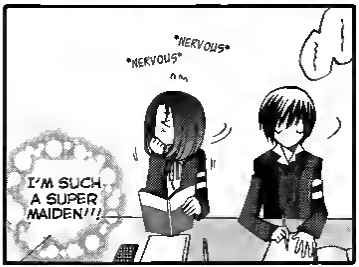


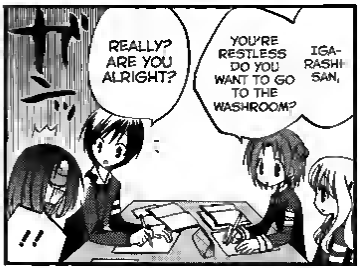


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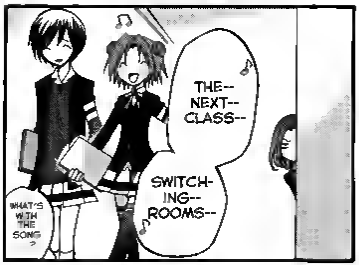


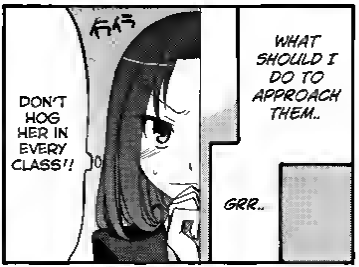


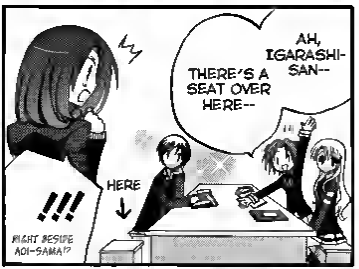


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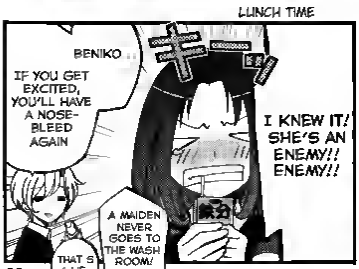
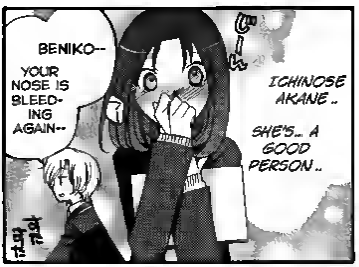

BENIKO
IF YOU GET EXCITED, YOU'LL HAVE A NOSE-BLEED AGAIN
I KNEW IT! SHE'S AN ENEMY!! ENEMY!!
A MAIDEN NEVER GOES TO THE WASH ROOM!
THAT'S A LIE.

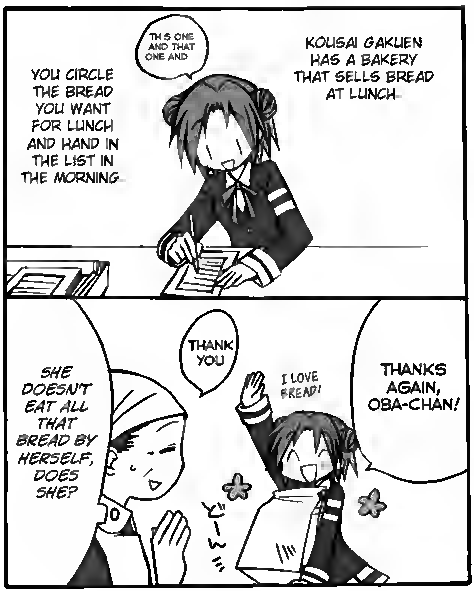


THE ACTUAL INCIDENT
SORRY FOR THE WAIT-- HERE ARE YOUR JUICE BOXES--
MY
WELL?
THERE MUT BE A REASON WHY YOU REMEMBERED IT FOR A YEAR!
AH
I REALLY DID PICK UP HER HANDKER-CHIEF A YEAR AGO.
*FLUTTER*
どさり
SHE DROPPED SOME THING
A HEAP OF HAND-KER-CHIEFS!?
WHAT THE!?
!?
SO I ALWAYS REMEMBERED HER.
DEFINITELY AN INTERESTING PERSON...
I KEPT THINKING ABOUT IT...
SHE WAS CARRYING SO MANY HANDKERCHIEFS, AND YOU COULDN'T TELL AT ALL! I WAS AMAZED! WHERE IN THE WORLD DID SHE KEEP ALL THOSE HANDKERCHIEFS, ANYWAY?
YOU WERE HITTING ON HER
MM.
I'M KIND OF UNEASY AROUND HER, ACTUALLY.
MAKES ME WANT TO BULLY HER. UFUFU
IGARASHI-SAN IS SUCH AN INTEREST-ING PERSON.
WHEN WE WERE PUT IN THE SAME CLASS IN SECOND YEAR...
OH? WHY IS THAT?
"I PICKED UP YOUR HANDKER-CHIEF A YEAR AGO, IGARASHI-SAN... I STILL REMEM-BER."
I...
SAID THAT TO HER.
AND TO HAVE REMEMBERED HER OVER SUCH A THING
WHICH CENTURY WAS THAT PICK-UP LINE FROM?
TOO SCARY...
I KNEW IT... SHE THOUGHT I WAS HITTING ON HER.

YOU DROPPED YOUR HANDKERCHIEFS.
WHY SO MANY?
Kyu-n
A WHOLE PILE

# 総天然色乙女組

Total natural color maiden class


KOUSAI GAKUEN HAS A BAKERY THAT SELLS BREAD AT LUNCH
THIS ONE AND THAT ONE AND
YOU CIRCLE THE BREAD YOU WANT FOR LUNCH AND HAND IN THE LIST IN THE MORNING
THANKS AGAIN, OBA-CHAN!
I LOVE BREAD!
THANK YOU
SHE DOESN'T EAT ALL THAT BREAD BY HERSELF, DOES SHE?
ピーン!!

SHE DOES

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